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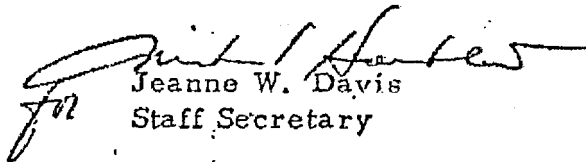
MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Benjamin Evans  
Executive Secretary  
Central Intelligence Agency

SUBJECT: Rebuttal to Scoville Letter

On July 22, Congressman Sciberling circulated to his colleagues the attached letter written by Herbert Scoville concerning the marginal utility of [REDACTED] The letter had considerable impact in the House debate on lifting the [REDACTED] embargo.

Anticipating renewed debate when Congress returns in September, you are requested to prepare a detailed, unclassified rebuttal to the Scoville letter in a form suitable for use in briefing Members of Congress. While the rebuttal should highlight the [REDACTED] issue, it need not be limited to only this function in defending the essential nature of [REDACTED]

The deadline for this submission is COB Friday, August 15, 1975.

  
Jeanne W. Davis  
Staff Secretary

Attachment

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Executive Secretary

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